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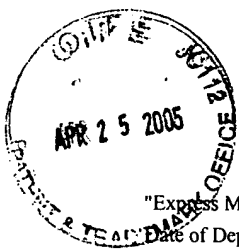
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Application No.: 10/737,102

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CONTAINING ALPHA-SULFOFATTY  
ACID ESTERS AND METHODS OF  
MAKING AND USING THE SAME

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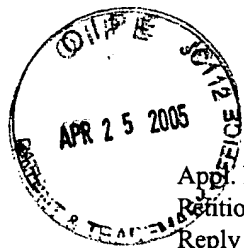
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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Abandonment mailed April 4, 2005, Applicants' respectfully request withdrawal of the holding of abandonment on the ground that the appropriate response to the outstanding Office Action in this application was timely filed. The Amendment, including a three-month Petition for Extension of Time was filed March 28, 2005. As shown on the enclosed copy of the PAIR report, as well as on the copy of the return postcard, the response was received by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on March 28, 2005.



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### REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.181(a), Applicants hereby request withdrawal of the holding of abandonment in patent application 10/737,102. This petition is being filed within two months of the mailing date of the Notice of Abandonment as required under 37 CFR §1.181(f).

The Applicants believe that no fees are required for this petition. However, if any fees relating to patent application 10/737,102 are required, please charge any fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 20-1430. This petition is submitted in duplicate.

### CONCLUSION

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite a prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at (650) 326-2400

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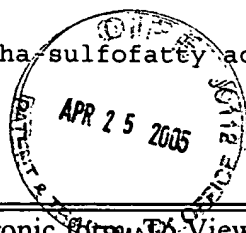
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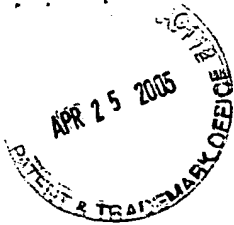
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